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Sir:

Enclosed please find an application for United States patent as identified below:

Inventor/s (name ALL inventors): Clifford C. THOMPSON

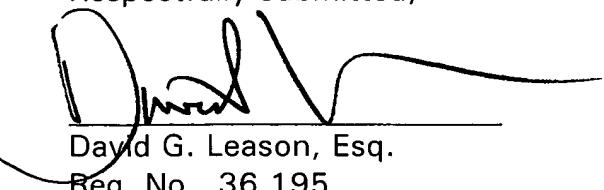
Title: RESIDENTIAL AND BUSINESS LOGISTICS SYSTEM AND METHOD

including the items indicated:

1. Specification and 38 claims: 3 indep.; 35 dep.; 0 multiple dep.
2. Executed declaration and power of attorney
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3. Formal drawings, sheets (Figs.)
 Informal drawings, 5 sheets (Figs. 1-5)

4. Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status
5. Check in amount of \$542.00, (\$542 filing; \$0 recording; \$0 surcharge)
(See attached **Fee Computation Sheet**)

Respectfully submitted,



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PATENT FEE COMPUTATION SHEET

No. of Claims Presented	Extra Claims Previously Paid For	Number of Extra Claims	Rate
Basic Fee			\$760.00
Total Claims 38 - 20	= 18	x \$18.00	\$324.00
Independent Claims 3 - 3	= 0	x \$78.00	\$
Multiple Dependent Claims	- if so, add	\$260.00	\$
Surcharge for late submission of filing fee and/or declaration (\$130.00)			\$
SUBTOTAL			\$1,084.00
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In re Application of : Clifford C. THOMPSON

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For: RESIDENTIAL AND BUSINESS LOGISTICS SYSTEM AND METHOD

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Cliff C. Thompson
Signature of Inventor

Date: 12-3-99

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